

Directorate-General for Trade
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RE: Meeting request

Dear Commissioner Malmström,

I am writing to request a meeting for Amazon's Art.4.1(b) who will be visiting Europe early next month. Art.4.1(b) would very much welcome the opportunity to meet with you to discuss how to support the Commission's agenda on global trade and the upcoming negotiations on a plurilateral agreement for ecommerce, which was announced at the WTO summit in Argentina late last year.

As you may already know, Amazon is a major employer and investor in Europe. The company has invested over €20 billion in Europe since 2011 and has over 50,000 full-time employees. In addition, over 990,000 European companies and creative professionals are building their businesses with Amazon Marketplace, Amazon Web Services and Kindle Direct Publishing.

I would like to propose to meet Art.4.1(b) on Thursday 1st February 2018, and will liaise with your office to explore availabilities.

Please do not hesitate to contact me if you have any questions.

Yours sincerely,

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